

REMARKS

This Amendment is submitted in response to the Office Action mailed on May 11, 2010. A petition for a one month extension of time is submitted herewith. The Director is authorized to charge any additional fees which may be required, or to credit any overpayment to Deposit Account No. 02-1818.

As indicated in the Office Action, claims 24 and 27 are allowable in independent form. As previously provided, claims 8 and 14 have been amended to incorporate claims 24 and 27, respectively. Therefore, the rejections should be withdrawn in view of same.

Accordingly, Applicant respectfully submits that the present application is in condition for allowance and earnestly solicit reconsideration of same.

Respectfully submitted,

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